

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI  
DELTA DIVISION**

**BOBBY RAY CROOM**

**PETITIONER**

v.

**No. 2:07CV205-P-A**

**SHERIFF ANDREW THOMPSON, JR., ET AL.**

**RESPONDENTS**

**FINAL JUDGMENT**

In accordance with the memorandum opinion issued today in this cause, that the instant petition for a writ of *habeas corpus* is hereby **DISMISSED** with prejudice and without evidentiary hearing for failure to exhaust state remedies under 28 U.S.C. § 2254(b)(1).

**SO ORDERED**, this the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June, 2008.

/s/ W. Allen Pepper, Jr.  
W. ALLEN PEPPER, JR.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE